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641—76.2(135) Adoption by reference. Federal requirements contained in the Omnibus Reconciliation Act of 1989 (Public Law 101-239), Title V, MCH services block grant shall be the rules governing the Iowa MCH program and are incorporated by reference herein.

The department finds that certain rules should be exempted from notice and public participation as being a very narrowly tailored category of rules for which notice and public participation are unnecessary as provided in Iowa Code section 17A.4(2). Such rules shall be those that are mandated by federal law governing the Iowa MCH program where the department has no option but to adopt such rules as specified and where federal funding for the MCH programs is contingent upon the adoption of the rules.

Copies of the federal legislation adopted by reference are available from Chief, Family Services Bureau, Department of Public Health, Lucas State Office Building, Des Moines, Iowa 50319-0075.